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LETTER RESCINDING NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

A Notice of Abandonment, Form PTO-1432, was mailed on March 19, 2008 in patent application Serial Number 10/645,191. The Notice of Abandonment alleged that applicant failed to timely file a proper reply to the Office letter mailed on August 8, 2007.

Applicant notified USPTO to understand the reason for the Notice of Abandonment. Office letter mailed on August 8, 2007 gave Applicant one month or 30 days from the mailing date of the Office letter to cancel claims 22-33 and if no action was taken during this period, the examiner is authorized to cancel the claims by Examiner's Amendment and pass the case to issue. Applicant did not respond to the Office letter mailed on August 8, 2007 and as such the case should have been allowed with an Examiner's Amendment as noted above. In view of such, the record indicates that the Notice of Abandonment was mailed in error. Accordingly, the Notice of Abandonment is vacated and hereby **RESCINDED**.

Any inconvenience occasioned by the error in mailing the Notice of Abandonment is regretted. The application has been forwarded to the examiner for action.


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